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IN RE APPLICATION OF: James Farquhar et al.  
SERIAL NO.: 08/818,520  
FILED: March 14, 1997  
FOR: "PCMCIA STANDARD MEMORY CARD FRAME"

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington D.C. 20231

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an **AMENDMENT** in the above-identified application.

■ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	*	MINUS	**	X	( ) X 11.00 ( ) X 22.00	\$
INDEP. CLAIMS	*	MINUS		X	( ) X 39.00 ( ) X 78.00	
Application amended to contain any multiple dependent claims not previously paid for.				( ) YES ( ) NO	( ) \$125.00 ( ) \$250.00 ONE TIME	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$0.00	

\* If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.

\*\* If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20 write "20" in this space.

- Applicant petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend this time for response to the Office Action dated \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_ month so that the period for response is extended to \_\_\_\_\_. A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is attached to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to deposit account No. 08-2290. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is attached.
- A check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ accompanying IDS under 37 CFR 1.97(c) is attached
- A check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ and Petition for Consideration of IDS under 37 CFR 1.97(d) is attached.
- The Commissioner/Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to account No. 08-2290. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.
- When phoning re this application, please call 312/876-0200 - Ext. 3060

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APPLICANT: James Farquhar et al.

AMENDMENT A

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO: P97,0500-R

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INVENTION: "PCMCIA STANDARD MEMORY CARD FRAME"

Asst. Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 11, 1999, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claim 11 as follows:

11. A peripheral device PCB package comprising:  
two stamped metal covers having a first side and a second side with a finger extending from one of said sides of each cover; and  
a plastic frame element associated with each of the covers, wherein edges of the metal covers are bent to conform to a shape of the frame and the plastic frame elements are injection molded to secure the finger of each cover to the plastic frame element.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Replace the paragraph at column 2, lines 47-49, with the following two paragraphs:

--Fig. 2A is a detailed view of one of the plastic frames showing the energy director utilized in the sonic welding process;

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